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G.Z. Pessimistic As Decisive Talks Open

Jerusalem Post Bureau
The third and probably decisive round of the coalition talks began in Tel Aviv and Jerusalem yesterday. Prime Minister Ben-Gurion met with the Progressive Party leaders, Messrs. Pinhas Rosen, Moshe Kol and Ishar Harari, while Mr. Levi Eshkol and Mr. Pinhas Sapir met with Messrs. Peretz Bernstein, L. Sapir, Elimelech Rimmant and Ezra Ichilov of the General Zionists.

Today the emphasis of the talks is to shift back to Tel Aviv, where Mr. Ben-Gurion is expected to take an active part in discussions with various party leaders.

It is understood that the Prime Minister will make an effort to present a new Cabinet during the second week of December. This coalition, according to present forecasts, is likely to comprise Mapai, Mapam, Abut Hava'ada, the Progressive and perhaps the General Zionists, while the National Religious Party could be included if it waives its insistence on separate secondary religious education.

Progressive Party sources said after the meeting with the Premier that the chances of their joining the coalition were good. The General Zionists, however, expressed pessimism after their talks in Jerusalem.

The General Zionist delegation presented Mr. Eshkol and Mr. Sapir with eight demands:

They are:
1. General reforms in income taxation, including reductions for middle-income groups and tax relief on profits earmarked for reinvestment;
2. An undertaking by Mapai not to increase current taxes and not to impose new ones;
3. A plan not to collect the immigration loan "under present circumstances";
4. Mapal to state what practical measures it is prepared to take towards the reduction of foreign currency controls;
5. Reform of bank credit control by the abolition of the existing ceiling on the volume of credit;
6. Nationalization of the health services;
7. Reduction of the period of military service for girls to one year;
8. De-politization of the civil service.

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Arab Refugees were the subject of a discussion in Jerusalem this week between Prime Minister Ben-Gurion and U.S. Senators Dale McGee (with hand raised) and Albert Gore. On Mr. Ben-Gurion's right is Ambassador Ogden Reid. In the rear (left to right) are Mr. Nahum Astor, of the Foreign Ministry, and Col. F. Retigors, aide to the Senators.

103 Beduin Finally Cross from Jordan

POST Political Reporter

Mr. Kadish Luz, the Minister of Agriculture, is expected to be Mapai's candidate for the Knesset Speaker post. It is expected that Mr. Luz, who as one of the founders of Israel's settlement movement enjoys the respect of wide public circles, will be backed by most parties in the Knesset.

The majority of the Knesset factions, including Herut, seem to agree that Mapai, being by far the largest among them, is entitled to nominate a candidate, who is likely to get their support provided he meets the requirements for this high post.

At earlier discussions Mr. Israel Yesha'ahu, M.K., and Mr. Akiva Govrin, M.K., were mentioned as possible candidates.

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London 'Unaware' Of Fawzi Visit

LONDON (UPI).—The Foreign Office said yesterday that it had no information concerning a Cairo newspaper report that U.A.R. Foreign Minister Muhammad Farouk would visit London. "Al Ahram" reported that Fawzi would visit Britain soon for talks with Prime Minister Harold Macmillan and Foreign Secretary Selwyn Lloyd.

The "Al Ahram" report was the latest of several that have been circulating in Cairo.

There has been considerable speculation in London during the past few days that severed Anglo-Egyptian diplomatic relations would be resumed early in the new year.

The Foreign Office has maintained complete official silence. It has merely referred to earlier Government statements restating Britain's desire to have diplomatic relations restored.

U.S. and World Bank Study Loans to U.A.R.

CAIRO (Reuter).—The Director of the U.S. Development Loan Fund, Mr. Vance Brandt, said on arrival here Sunday night he would "examine the possibility of financing various government and private projects."

Mr. Brandt, who is here for talks with U.A.R. officials, told reporters he would submit a report to the Fund's management. He did not specify any amounts which might be loaned.

Mr. Rucinski, Middle East Director of the World Bank, who also arrived for talks with officials, said he had come to discuss legal issues connected with a requested loan for the development of the Suez Canal.

He said the loan would amount to \$500 million.

Foreign diplomatic observers here said that if the missions of Mr. Brandt and Mr. Rucinski materialized into concrete U.S. contributions to the U.A.R. economy, it would mean a turning point for the area, where financial assistance has been mainly confined to the Soviet Union and West Germany.

Mr. Brandt is due to visit India after the U.A.R.

**Algerian 'Minister'
Confers in Morocco**

RABAT (Reuter).—Abdul Hafiz Boussouf, Communications Minister of the Algerian rebel "Provisional Government," had separate talks here yesterday with the Moroccan Prime Minister, M. Abdullah Ibrahim, Crown Prince Moulay Hassan, and the Iraqi Ambassador.

M. Boussouf also met the counsel for Ben Bella, the Algerian rebel leader held prisoner in France.

Before driving to Rabat, Boussouf said in Tangier that he would explain to the Moroccan leaders the insurgents' recent offer of talks between the French Government and rebel leaders detained in France.

He said he did not know whether the Polish Government had contacted the U.S. officially on the subject. Nor could he say whether the U.S. would grant asylum.

But diplomatic observers said on the basis of past experience that the State Department would almost certainly grant the request.

The rebel "Prime Minister," Ferhat Abbas was quoted yesterday as declaring "No secret negotiations are in progress." He said in a broadcast message to his troops that there would be no victory for them without independence.

"Paris Press" wrote that this message may herald a military offensive by the insurgents.

The officials are: H.A. Rudgard, a company engineer from England; F. Bronsweig, a Dutch chief engineer and a Sudanese operations superintendent, Wallace Fahim. The plane was piloted by a Swede, Gustave Ove Aarnan.

Shell Officials Feared Dead in Sudan Crash

KHARTOUM (Reuter).—Sudanese Air Force and civil airline planes continued their search yesterday for a Piper plane with three senior Shell Company officials aboard which has been missing since Friday.

The Progressives also posted their local branch meeting until tonight, when they will decide whether their Deputy Mayor will be Mr. M. Stern or Councillor M. Goldstein.

Nasser to Visit Pakistan, India

CAIRO (UPI).—Gamal Abdal Nasser has accepted an invitation to visit Pakistan, a Pakistani Embassy spokesman said yesterday.

He said no definite date had been set although it was believed that Nasser would visit Pakistan within the near future.

In New Delhi, the "Indian Express" said Nasser may visit India in January.

To Mr. A. Z. Kis

our sincere condolences
on the passing away of his Uncle

Mr. Marcus Emanuel

His Staff

Black Star to Order 12 New Freighters

HALFA.—The Black Star Shipping Line, a partnership of the Ghana Government and the Zim Company, Haifa, has decided to order 12 new freighters at a cost of \$300. The order was initiated by the Ghana Transport, Dr. Kwame Nkrumah.

Certain circles in Ghana as well as British interests are understood to be trying to end Zim's continued partnership in the Line. Zim's Director, Dr. N. Wydra, is to fly to Ghana this week in an effort to clear up the matter.

Nehru: Won't Fight While Parleying

NEW DELHI (Reuter).—Prime Minister Nehru said yesterday that India did not want to take military action against the Chinese Communists in the Ladakh area of Kashmir while diplomatic negotiations were going on.

But afterwards "it is for consideration of the military," he told the Council of States (Upper House of Parliament).

Mr. Nehru was replying to questions on what steps the Government proposed to take to stop the Chinese from building feeder roads to connect with a road already built by them on the Aksai Chin plateau of Ladakh.

He was also asked whether the Government proposed to stop Indian Communists from carrying out propaganda in the border areas to the effect that the Chinese army across the frontier was a "liberation army."

Would Take Action

Mr. Nehru replied: "If anybody carries on that propaganda, whether it is in the border area or anywhere else in India, action will be taken against them."

Mr. Nehru was asked to clarify his statement at a Press Club dinner last week that a Chinese-built road was a matter for consideration.

He was commenting on reports that the Western Big Three had already agreed to propose to the Russians for a summit meeting between April 25 and May 31.

Authoritative sources, however, hold that late April or May is the most likely period for the top-level meeting with the Soviet Prime Minister, Mr. Khrushchev.

In Geneva yesterday, it was learned that U.S. Britain, Czechoslovakia, Greece and Turkey had agreed to a summit meeting on April 25 and May 31.

The Foreign Office spokesman said here yesterday that the Foreign Office, the Chinese Ambassador, the Greek Ambassador and the Turkish Ambassador had not been effected, and that therefore "the situation of the refugees continues to be a matter of serious concern."

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Social & Personal

The President and Mrs. Ben-Zvi on Monday entertained to lunch Mr. David Ha Cohen, M.K. and Mrs. Ha Cohen.

The Minister for Religious Affairs, Rabbi Y. Toledano, on Monday received Mr. Astor Mayer, Honorary Layman Consul-General in Milan.

The Minister of Communications, Aluf Moše Carmel, on Monday received General R. Abrici, head of Italy's civil aviation organization, who arrived earlier in the day at Lydda Airport, with his wife. He was accompanied by General G. Mattati, El Al's representative in Italy, and Mrs. Mattati.

The Chairman of the Central Elections Committee, Supreme Court Justice Sussmann, on Monday held a cocktail party at the Gil Hall, Tel Aviv, to mark the disbanding of the Committee. Among those present were the Presidents of the Councils of the Ministers of Agriculture and Police; the State Controller; the Chairman of the Knesset Finance Committee; and District Court Judges. The Inspector-General of Police; the Commander of the Tel Aviv District Police; the Director-General of the Ministry of Interior; the Adjutant-General; the Deputy Chairman of the Central Elections Committee; Chairmen of the Regional Election Committees; Chairmen of the Armed Forces' Central Election Committees; and the Central Election Committee staff.

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Cinemas

JERUSALEM
3.30, 6.45, 8.45.

ARNON: Ball in Savoy.
EDEN: The Satecznik.
FOLK: The English Lovers.
OR-GEL: Kerch Cliff Hill.
OINA: Gidget.
RON: Anna from Brooklyn.
ROD: Dada in the sun.
ZION: Les cossins.
TEL OR: Der traumende Mund (Dreaming Lips).
EDEN: The Professor.
STUDIO: The Innocents in Paris.

TEL AVIV
3.30, 7.15, 9.15.

ALLEN: Le long des trottoirs.
ARMON DAVID: A Cry from the Streets.

CHEN: The Devil at the Top.
CHEN: A Night in Hell.

ESTHER: Some Came Running.

GAT: Ivan the Terrible.

HORN: Witches' Brew.

MIGDALOR: Across the Bridge.

MORABBI: En cas de malheur (Love, My Profession).

OPERA: The Trial.

ORION: Sissi — Schicksaljägerin Kaiserin.

PEER: Night in Quarter Moon.

PIERRE: A Certain Smile.

TAMAR: Herod and Miriam.

TCHELET: Les amants.

TEL AVIV: The Blue Angel.

TOEPLITZ: The Story of Life.

ZAFON: The Captain's Table.

ZAMIR: The Hanging Tree.

HAIFA
4, 6.45, 9.

ORION: The Mata Story.

ATZMON: Green Mansions.

MIRON: Drei Männer im Schnee (Three Men in the Snow).

OLAI: The Story of Life.

AMPHITHEATRE: Geständnis unter 4 Angeln.

TANAR: Loves of Carmen.

OPERA: Gianni Schicchi.

FEER: Anatomy of a Murder.

ARMON: Some Like It Hot.

EN DOR: Carnesca blanche (White Cargo).

ORLA: Love and Sympathy (Evenings only).

MORAH: Gigli. MAY: I Soliti Ignoti ("We Are Thieves").

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LAW REPORT

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In The Appeal Court
Martial

(Concluded. The first instalment appeared on November 29.)

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The Weather

FORECAST: Fair.
Weather Synopsis: A ridge of high pressure extends from the Balkans to the S. Mediterranean, causing fair weather in our region.

	A	B	C	D
Mr. Canaan	55	9	17	18
Tel Aviv	55	16	24	25
Holon Port	54	16	23	24
Natanya	50	14	26	26
Tel Aviv Kirya	64	14	22	23
Tel Aviv Port	64	14	24	24
Jerusalem Airport	58	12	24	24
Jerusalem	49	11	20	20
Bnei Brak	44	8	22	22
Eilat	38	12	26	26

*A) Humidity at 8 p.m. B) Minimum temp. yesterday. D) Maximum temp. yesterday. D) Maximum temp. yesterday.

ARRIVALS

Mr. Yakutiel Polderman, ho-
teler, from a seven-day visit
to Europe (by El Al).

Professor Zvi Lipkin, of the
Weizmann Institute, and his
family, from the U.S. (by B.O.-
A.C.).

Mr. Alexander Alexandroni,
sports writer, from Rome, where
he toured the athletic installations
of the 1960 Olympic games
(by Alitalia).

Mr. Michael Berleay, a tele-
vision-drama producer from the
U.S., made a tour in Gathie
and Haifa (by El Al).

Mr. Claude Jodan, Canadian
labour leader, for a five-day visit
as guest of the Histadrut (by
El Al).

**B-G and Goldmann Head
Gruenbaum '80th' C'ttee**

A public committee has
been organized to mark the
80th birthday of Mr. Yitzhak
Gruenbaum, the veteran
Zionist leader and Israel's
first Minister of Interior. It
is headed by Prime Minister
David Ben-Gurion and the
President of the World Zion-
ist Organization, Dr. Nahum
Goldmann.

The committee is planning
a dinner in Mr. Gruenbaum's
honour, which will be held
in the King David Hotel on
December 20.

The Minister of the In-
terior, Mr. Israel Bar-Yehuda,
yesterday sent a letter of
congratulations to Mr. Gruen-
baum. "Not only my genera-
tion, but at least two genera-
tions after me, were brought
up on the fighting example
of Yitzhak Gruenbaum," he
wrote.

The address of the public
committee is P.O.B. 7009,
Tel Aviv.

**K-F Closing Plant
For Fortnight**

Jerusalem Post Bureau
THE KALMAR-FRAZER
management — Monday in-
formed its staff that the as-
sembly plant and all depen-
dent departments would be
closed for a fortnight start-
ing December 1. Most of
the firm's 500 workers would
be given leave. The close-
down results from Renault's
decision to end automobile
assembly here and the U.S. steel
strike which has slowed de-
livery of Willys' parts.

It is not yet certain whether
the work will be resumed
after the fortnight's stop-
page.

**Yadin, Allon Debate
Vote System Tonight**

The first meeting of the He-
brew University "student
parliament" has been post-
poned to tonight, the Stu-
dents' Association stated yes-
terday. The postponement
due to Mr. Abba Eban, one
of the scheduled opening
speakers, having been unable
to participate. The debate, on
a motion supporting a two-
party system in Israel, will be
opened tonight by Dr. Yigal
Yadin, for, and Mr. Yigal Al-
lon M.K., against, at 8:15 p.m.
at the Wise Auditorium on
the campus.

We deeply mourn the untimely passing
away of our member

ANNA FREUND

Mount Carmel Chess Club

To our former Manager
Mr. Ervin Freund

our deepest sympathy in your bereavement
on the passing away of your

WIFE

Staff of
Holland Bank Union
Haifa Office

Our deepest sympathy
to Geoff Leff and the Kravits family.
on the untimely passing of

GITTEL

ZVI JILL SHLOMO,
and all your friends in
Israel and London.

We mourn the untimely death of

GITTEL LEFF

(née Kravitz)

Friends at Gesher Haziv

We deeply mourn the death of

GITTEL LEFF

She will always be remembered

Harry and Erika Shadmon

VALIDOR

Sharon Youth Hostel Inc., Herzliya Beach

Our sincerest condolences to the family of

GITTEL LEFF

The neighbours of
20 Rehov Rav Berlin,
Jerusalem.

**JNF Committee Proposes Weitz
'Retire' to Make Room for Son**

By CHARLES WEISS, Jerusalem Post Reporter

The Committee of Seven, charged with studying the Jewish National Fund's administrative set-up, has proposed that Mr. Yosef Weitz retire from his day-to-day responsibilities in running the development affairs of the J.N.F. but should supervise these activities as head of a new committee of Directors, it was learned in Jerusalem yesterday.

The Committee, comprising seven members of the J.N.F. Board of Directors, was formed last August following criticism of Mr. Weitz' appointment of his son, Sharon, to head the merged J.N.F.-Government Afforestation Department. The committee's recommendations will be submitted to the Board of Directors next week and are almost certain to be adopted.

In an attempt to give the Directors greater responsibility in running J.N.F. affairs and at the same time to avoid a situation in which a son would be working directly under his father's supervision, the committee recommended that Mr. Weitz who is in his 70th year, should relinquish his administrative functions and instead head a committee of Board members in charge of development.

The members left from the hospital in the afternoon and proceeded to the Nahalat Yitzhak cemetery by way of the Jewish Agency offices in Rehov Frishman. There eulogies were delivered by the Acting Director-General of the Foreign Ministry, Mr. Yaakov Tzur, who was Zakkif's friend since their studies days in Paris; the Chairman of the Jewish Agency Executive, Mr. Zalman Sharar; the Chief Rabbi of Tel Aviv, Rabbi J.L. Unterman; and Mr. Y. Cohen, on behalf of the Jewish Agency staff.

Earlier in the day the Jewish Agency Executive held a special memorial meeting in Jerusalem. Mr. Sharar, who spoke, emphasized the deceased's non-partisanship and his ability to unite Zionist groups in various missions.

Gedalia Zakkif was born in Slobom, White Russia, in 1906, and came to this country in 1920. He was later assistant to Nahum Sokolow on "Haam", the official weekly of the World Zionist Organization, and in 1934 was appointed head of the social welfare department of the Tel Aviv Municipality. He was political correspondent of "HaBoker" from 1937 to 1946, and a member of the Hagana High Command from 1942 until Zakkif was director of the United Jewish Appeal in Latin America from 1949 to 1953, and later head of a similar post in Canada. He was appointed Secretary General of the Agency in 1957.

He is survived by his wife and his father, Shmuel Zuchowitzky, a former president of the Zionist Organization in Poland and founder of Magid.

An Appreciation

It was as a publicist that Gedalia Zakkif first served his people and his writing was characterized by unusual charm, wide knowledge, and breadth of vision.

During the pre-State struggle he gave himself over entirely to Haganah affairs, and became spokesman of the High Command. During the War of Liberation, he went abroad to raise money for arms and his accomplishments in this field were considerable.

His personality and his charm, his knowledge and his personal attributes endowed him with unusual ability as an emissary of the Keren Hayesod and the United Jewish Appeal. In Europe, Latin America, Canada, the U.S. — everywhere he was sent — he always succeeded the like of which had not been known before. He learned how to organize the entire Jewish community around the Appeal in the countries where he worked.

Stricken by disease over two years ago, he did not let it break his spirit. Until the last moment, he worked, he spoke, he organized, he served, and he fulfilled his task with devotion. M. KOL

Twenty MEMBERS of the Cyprus eight athletic team left on Monday by El Al after taking part in a competition against an Israeli team last Friday and Saturday.

**Kaufman Cleared In
Accra Road Accident**

ACCRA — Mr. Eytan Kaufman, the Solel Boneh engineer, who was involved in the traffic accident on November 14 in which his wife was killed, and Rami Katz and his sister, Amira, injured, was on Monday cleared by a local court of charges of reckless driving. (Itim)

**Child's Body Flown
From U.S. for Burial**

LYDDA AIRPORT — The body of Leah Feller, 8, of Meadow Meron who died in the U.S. after a heart operation, arrived at Lydda on Sunday night aboard an El Al plane. The child had been flown to America about two months ago for treatment.

She was buried at noon Monday in Safad. The funeral procession was attended by many persons, a large number of friends of the family, including many who had donated funds to the U.S. for the operation.

**18 Months in Jail
For Aiding Enemy**

HAIFA — A man of 33 from Daburiyya village in Lower Galilee was yesterday sentenced to 18 months in jail for passing information to the enemy. The man, Said Massaleikh, crossed into Jordan on March 1967 and passed data to Army officers. He returned to Israel legally last March and gave himself up to the village mukhtar who handed him over to the police.

**VENEZUELA ENVOY TO
VATICAN EXPECTED**

POST Political Reporter

Dr. Edgard Sanabria, a former President of Venezuela and now Venezuelan Ambassador at the Vatican, is to arrive in Israel on Thursday for a week's visit as guest of the Government.

**Visiting Canada MPs
Meet President, Meir**

The members of the visiting Canadian Parliamentary Delegation were on Monday received by the President and Mrs. Ben-Zvi. They were also received by the Foreign Minister, Mrs. Golda Meir, and visited Mount Herzl where they laid a wreath on Herzl's grave. Later they toured the Hebrew University and were the luncheon guests of the University Vice-President, Prof. A. Dvoretzky.

**SOYBEANS AND
ATHEROSCLEROSIS**

In the item, "Edible Oil Export Prospects Bright," which appeared last Friday, the quotation from Dr. A. James soybean expert on the question whether soybean or other vegetable oils produce high cholesterol conditions in the blood, should have read:

"This is a highly controversial subject, and in my opinion the true cause of high blood cholesterol and atherosclerosis has yet to be discovered."

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**Mendes-France
Haifa's Guest**

Jerusalem Post Reporter

HAIFA. — M. and Mme. Pierre Mendes-France were the guests of Haifa on Monday. They were received in Town Hall by Mayor Abu Khoushy, and after a short conversation viewed the city, including the Carmelit subway station.

The guests, who were accompanied by Bank of Israel officials, then travelled with the Mayor to the Isfaya village for lunch at the home of Sheikh Labib Abu Ruken, M.M. They were welcomed by a Boy Scout guard and a nurse, Christian and Jewish notables. The hosts told the visitors of the high standard of living of the minority communities in Israel and of the equality they enjoyed.

M. Mendes-France expressed his pleasure at meeting members of various communities and faiths in a friendly atmosphere. He stressed that cooperation and brotherhood were a must in the 20th century.

Mayor Khoushy accompanied the guests to the Neheret station. There they toured the Bet Shearim Excavations. In parting, M. Mendes-France promised to return for a longer visit to Israel and Haifa in the future.

Later they toured Galilee and stayed overnight in Tiberias.

They visited Nazareth, and called on the Military Governor's representative, Rav-Seren Arieh Katz.

**Suicide Couple
Out of Danger**

Jerusalem Post Reporter

ELAT. — The elderly couple who attempted suicide here on Thursday were yesterday reported to be out of danger, and they are expected to be able to leave the Rambam Hospital by the end of the week.

The couple, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Weinreb, who are in their sixties, attempted suicide by taking sleeping pills after their son, Noah Doron, 38, allegedly went abroad leaving them saddled with large debts which his father had guaranteed.

It is believed that the son took up large loans at high interest rates. The lenders agreed not to put his promissory notes up for rediscounth, enabling him to obtain further loans from other persons.

The couple had been sufficiently to sign documents relating to his medical treatment and is due to undergo a minor operation.

His first words on regaining consciousness were said to have been: "I'm sorry you saved me."

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RELIGION looks as a AND politics will continue outside the Cabinet for the present. As far as Agudat Yisrael is concerned they have a clear-cut point of view. They are not concerned basically with governmental matters such as security, political or economic issues, though of course some members of the Aguda as individuals are concerned, and it was to these men that Mr. Ben-Gurion had appealed. As a body, however, the Aguda are really only interested in the rigid enforcement of all the rituals laid down in the Rabbinic code.

In the recent talks they sought, among other things (like the near elimination of all post mortem examinations) the enactment of a Sabbath Law which will largely abolish the operation of many functions of the State and of industry which are at present merely permitted because sheer common sense dictates that they must be carried on.

The present Sabbath restrictions already put Israel back into the Middle Ages for some 36 hours each week. Ships do not dock, aircraft do not take off, passengers trains do not run and bus transport, with few exceptions, does not function, although shuttles do. Telegrams and cables are not delivered, so that messages concerning matters of life and death may be hopelessly delayed.

The National Religious Party by contrast with Mapai takes a less extreme stand on many points, but it does consider that it holds monopoly on Judaism in Israel. A large section of it, HaPoel Hamizrahi, has traditionally been an ally of the Labour Movement and should find a place in a laboured government. But no more than ten per cent of the electorate voted for the National Religious Party, and Mapai is not entitled, even if it wants to, to give this group the right to dictate to schools how much religion shall be taught.

The State religious primary schools are dominated by the National Religious Party, and their demand now is for religious high schools as well, thus further dividing the nation's children into two separate groups. This is not a matter of economics or convenience, as are finances in factories and buses on the roads on Saturdays, but a matter that affects the future of the nation. It may be difficult for young children to grasp that some people are orthodox and others not, but adolescents should surely be taught to live together and to respect their fellow's views and way of life.

There are many here and abroad who would welcome the presence of the Religious in the Coalition in the hope that it would tend to lessen the differences between the two sections of the population. Moreover their presence in the government might help attract more of their supporters abroad who are potential investors in our development economy. The price must not be paid, however, of permitting the intrusion of religious politics into the higher reaches of the school system.

Mr. Ben-Gurion, the architect of the coming coalition, has been asked by his supporters in a national perspective. In the past, numerical necessity has too often forced him to narrow his broad vision by compromise. With the direct command of 52 seats out of the 61 needed for an absolute majority, the Knesset, the Parliament of the Jews, does not allow any considerations to weigh other than those of principle. The present freedom to manoeuvre should make it possible to admit the religious parties to the government only on condition that religious observance remains a matter for the individual to decide for himself.

Britain Looks to Adenauer

By ROBERT STEPHENS

LONDON (O.P.N.E.) — In the British Government's efforts to improve its relations with Western Europe, last week's visit to London of Dr. Adenauer, the West German Chancellor, was probably more important than Mr. Selwyn Lloyd's recent talk in Paris.

For Dr. Adenauer, even more than President de Gaulle, holds the key to the two problems which have intertwined during the past year to damage British relations with the West European countries. These problems are the economic and political relations of the Six-Power European Economic Community or Common Market with the rest of Europe, and the handling of negotiations with Russia on Germany's security.

The British initiative helped to bring about the discussions on Berlin at the Geneva conference of Foreign Ministers.

Ike Has Last Word

But Mr. Macmillan's ideas on arms limitation in Europe had been gradually whittled down.

It is obvious that no deal can be made with the Russians in Europe over the heads of the people chiefly affected, namely the West Germans. It is also obvious that President de Gaulle's assertion of West European leadership and the strong line taken by France towards Britain over the Common Market's negotiations had weight behind what was virtually the French ultimatum to Britain over the Common Market's negotiations. He would inevitably involve Western concessions at the expense of Western Germany itself, rests on U.S. power.

Thus, Dr. Adenauer's policy is no longer to point out the dangers of an armistice agreement, but to ensure that negotiations with Mr. Krushchev should be concentrated on the issue of general disarmament rather than on particular questions of Berlin and Germany which, he suspects, would inevitably have adopted the same attitude and considered our relations

Readers' Letters

PIONEERS' REWARD'

Editor, The Jerusalem Post

Sir — We entirely agree with the sentiments of your correspondents as to the signal pioneering services rendered by our doctors, nurses and general staff at the Hadassah Yassif Negev Hospital in Beersheba since 1949.

In appreciation of the devotion of the Hadassah staff during ten difficult years of work in the Negev's only hospital, we have unequivocally pressed Kupat Holim to incorporate all the Hadassah employees into the Bnei Zion without exception in the new Kupat Holim hospital.

As regards Dr. Rolan, your correspondents' testimony to his ability is further welcome evidence which we endorse wholeheartedly. Dr. Rolan was amongst the first of the few who made their home in Beersheba in the early years of the State, and we regard it as the most natural thing that his unstinting service to the people of the Negev should be rewarded by an assured place in the professional staff of the new Kupat Holim hospital.

We hope that our correspondents, with our justified request will be met even at this late hour with understanding by the Kupat Holim authorities, who are about to become the heirs of Hadassah's medical tradition in the Negev.

Yours etc., DR. Z. L.

Bellinson Hospital, Oct. 25.



U.S. Senators accuse Jordan authorities of drawing UNWRA food rations for non-existent refugees.

(From the Press)

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Sahara A-Bomb Dilemma

Al Hanashim (Mapam) deplores the fact that the Israeli delegation at the U.N. was fit to back France on the Saharan test against the will of 51 nations gravely concerned for their health and welfare. Though we owe France a debt of gratitude, we should remember that she also thinks of her interests first, as in the case of Renishia; we should have adopted the same attitude

with the peoples of Africa whose amity we desire.

Haboker (General Zionist) on the other hand, sees no reason to apologize to the Africans for the stand we took, since we only took a leaf out of their own book.

On the other hand, we were right in supporting France, which has now become us a nation.

Davari (Histadrut) points out that those who have been continually blaming the government for failing to create a suitable "economic climate" for attracting private capital may now see that today, once Israel's economy has succeeded in getting to its feet and there are prospects of good returns, private capital is coming in and, what is more, is being welcomed.

Hatzofe (National Religious), defending its party's demand that secondary education be broken up into separate religious and non-religious school systems, writes that the "coexistence problem" will be solved the moment the non-religious recognize the right of religious parents to give their children the education they desire. There can be no question of foisting a non-religious education on children against their parents' will.

Ha'aretz (non-party) opposes the National Religious demand, pointing out that a greater part of the population is patently unhappy about deepening the clef in elementary school system. Bonn's statement would entail no little dislocation and terrific expense.

Besides, the paper adds, it is not altogether imperative that a religious party be included in the next government.

Police Rep.

Mr. Mayer justly maintains that the citizen should be able to travel to his home and that everyone who so wishes should be able to get to the sports field.

The traffic arrangements made by the police allowed travel between Tel Aviv and Petah Tikva, albeit not on the regular route, and the inconvenience which was caused here and there was unfortunately unavoidable.

As to Dr. Z. L.'s complaint, we wish to point out that this game attracted tens of thousands of spectators who came in thousands of private vehicles, aside from the many thousands who travelled by public transport.

It is a physical law that when thousands of cars travel towards one goal, this places a heavy burden on all the roads and paths in the neighbourhood. The arrangements made by the police were intended to permit visitors to travel to the stadium and regular traffic to continue. At the same time, it is natural that in the circumstances which were created by this heavy traffic, bottlenecks occurred.

May I mention that if it were not for the traffic arrangements which were made, neither the travellers to the stadium nor those who wished to travel to other places and amongst them, Dr. Z. L. would have been able to arrive at their destination without even greater delays and hindrances.

Y. ZIV-AL
Chief Inspector
P.T./Tel Aviv
District Commander
Israel Police

Tel Aviv, November 10.

medical appointments in Kupat Holim are decided upon by its Medical Appointments Committee. This Committee consists of the organization's leading doctors. It is guided in its work essentially by medical and professional considerations.

With the opening of the new Beersheba Hospital, the Committee had to choose both its heads of departments and its regular and medical staff. Dr. Rolan was one of the candidates for the post of head of the surgical department. In making its selection the appointments committee chose a candidate who, they felt, had all the necessary qualifications and experience required for this central position.

We would like to assure your correspondents that there was no "pulling of strings," and that the appointment was made on the basis of the position's professional requirements and in open competition among all the candidates. All the doctors appointed have agreed to move to Beersheba and to share the pioneering life of this dynamic community.

We would also like to point out that the overwhelming majority of the doctors formerly employed by Hadassah who agreed to work for the new hospital have now been accepted for employment by Kupat Holim.

Yours etc., DR. Z. L.

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FOOTBALL JAM

Editor, The Jerusalem Post

Sir — In reply to the letter of R. Berkovitz and K.N. Suss both of Beer-sheba, concerning Dr. Rolan, the surgeon of the Hadassah Beersheba hospital (your issue of November 11), we should like to state that all

AT THE CINEMA

Shavian Talkie

SINCE The Doctor's Di-

lemma (Maxim, Tel Aviv) is the film version of the Bernard Shaw play, it is a talking rather than a moving picture with Mr. Shaw maliciously making fun of the pretensions of the Edwardian specialists of medicine (the play was first produced in 1906) and with the development of the plot and depiction of character being shown through what the protagonists say.

Coleenso Ridgeon (John Ribbon) has been knighted for his discovery of an efficacious treatment for tuberculosis; and the dilemma which faces him and the group of doctors whose advice he asks, is whether this treatment, in very scant supply, should be given to a rascally painter of genius, Louis Dukobat (Dirk Bogarde), or to a limpataut but very decent Dr. Blundstock (Michael Gowen). Sir Coleenso's decision is all the harder as he has fallen in love with Dukobat's wife, Jennifer (Leslie Caron) who has come to plead her husband's cause.

The years that have passed since the play was written

have not lessened the topicality of the thrusts at the medical profession but, on the whole, the wit seems somewhat flat. There are, of course, a number of amusing bons mots and the ending is logically unexpected. The doctors in the persons of Alistair Sim, Robert Morley, Felix Aylmer and John Binson make their bows with distinction and suavity and Leslie Caron, as accustomed by Cecil Beaton, is lovely to look at. Dirk Bogarde does not seem too well cast; he lacks the daemonic fire and the ruthlessness which the role demands. The director is Anthony Asquith. This is not one of the most successful transfers of Shaw to the screen.

A Pleasant Surprise

WE saw a Hoopoe (*Upupa epops* — *Duhifat*) last week. Why should that be a pleasant surprise? Well, many readers will know — but others won't. Hoopoes have no business to be here now! They leave for the South by the middle of September at the latest, and come again at the beginning of February, no earlier. Now they may be a freak; perhaps the bird is momentarily incapacitated when all the others flew off and recovered. But this is a very, very rare thing. When a bird breaks a wing or is otherwise crippled, a predator is quite sure to get it — here in Binyamina it would certainly become the prey of cats which often manage to catch Hoopoes even when well and healthy. Witness the pathetic little hoard of feathers and pink feet I find often enough.

Perhaps this is the beginning of a new fashion among the Hoopoes? Perhaps it will now be considered chic to be unassuming and stay at home for the winter instead of going South like those gay and gaudy cousins twice removed. H.

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MARGINAL COMMENT

Much Ado About Nothing

By Nissim Rejwan

Shi' Moslems and the Communists. The Kurds are *a priori*, understandably so, opposed to any move that may cause them to be submerged by the Arabs; the Shi'is, who form a majority of Iraqi Moslems, do not want to lose their present status through the influx into a "Greater Iraq" of almost wholly Sunni populations; and the Communists, who already have their hands full trying to dominate Iraq, would settle for nothing short of a "Red Fertile Crescent" — a thing which Kassem is not likely to offer them.

CAIRO may or may not be aware of all this; in their obsessive war of propaganda against Kassem's regime, the U.A.R. leaders say so many wild things that it is almost as difficult to make out what they really think as it is to decipher Kassem's pronouncements. Be that as it may, Cairo's reaction to Kassem's utterances was of the most frenzied variety, with the Government's official organ, "Al-Gomhouria" indulging in mock pity for the Iraqi ruler who was "raving" but who should be "pardoned" since he was "sick" and sick people usually rave and have all sorts of hallucinations . . .

KASSEM, who on more than one occasion has proved to be a better strategist than his predecessors, and who has trodden very cautiously whenever he has had to deal with the affairs of Iraq's "other nationalities" is not at all likely to want to involve himself in pan-Arab activities of any sort. The Fertile Crescent scheme remains as safely dead as it was on the day of Nuri es-Said's disappearance.

Tel Aviv, November 24.

Alfred Bonné's Fulfilled Vision

A LFRID Bonné is one of

the fortunate few who can on their 60th birth-day look back on the realization of their plans, the fulfillment of their vision.

When he came here 35 years ago, Bonné trained as an economist, first tried his hand at farming, then bout of malaria, which prevented him from continuing on the land proved no misfortune after all. It forced him to return to the field for which he was trained and to which he was to make a significant contribution.

First an instructor and then a lecturer on Middle Eastern economics at the Hebrew University, Bonné, now professor, started to lay the foundations for a full-fledged Faculty of Economics and Social Sciences, the need for which had become particularly pressing with the establishment of the State and its requirements for a well-trained civil service. This aim was realized in 1953 with the founding of the Kaplan School for Economics and Social Sciences. Bonné served as its dean during the important years of 1958-59, during which period the present building and laboratories of the School were built and inaugurated with an international symposium on "The Challenge of Development," which

Bonné planned.

Concurrently with these activities, Bonné was one of the main contributors to the international literature on the economics of the Middle East. His books on the "Economic Development of the Middle East" (1933) and "State and Economy in the Middle East" (1948) are among the most frequently quoted in this field, and were even translated into Arabic. His latest volume, "Studies in Economic Development" (1958), completes this important trilogy.

Over the years Bonné has been able to travel widely in the Middle and Far East, and also to spend some time in the U.S. Back in 1954, he served as visiting Professor at Columbia University, and he has just returned from another stay of a year's duration in America after carrying out research at Harvard University and the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

His many friends, old leagues and students here and abroad join in extending to him their sincerest wishes. E.G.

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